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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO 1449. To the undersigned's knowledge, this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed documents, including any co-pending patent applications, are attached. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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1. **DE 42 05 935** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
2. **EP 0 663 161** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 5,542,439, submitted herewith.
3. **FR 726 157** - An English language translation of this document is submitted herewith.
4. **FR 2 285 101** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
5. **FR 2 505 633** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,561,456, submitted herewith.
6. **FR 2 605 505** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,898,193, submitted herewith.
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8. **FR 2 701 198** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 6,099,183, submitted herewith.
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19. WO 93/16617 - An English language abstract of this foreign language document can be found on the title page of this document.

Applicant has enclosed a copy of the priority application's French Search Report for the Examiner's consideration.

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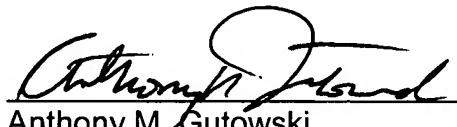
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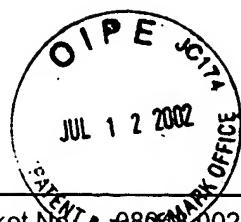
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